

TWO SHARP ATTACKS
AGAINST THE BRITISHAFTER ALL-DAY BOMBARDMENT
ON FRONT OF NEARLY A MILEFrom Point South of Menin Road to
North of Poeldershoek
in BelgiumGAIN IN FIRST DRIVE
WAS PROMPTLY LOSTBritish Troops Even Drove
Kaiser's Men Beyond
Their Original Lines

London, March 9.—"After a bombardment lasting all day the Germans yesterday evening attacked on a front of nearly a mile in Belgium, from a point south of the Menin road to a point north of Poeldershoek," the war office announced today.

The Germans were repulsed except near Poeldershoek, and positions on a front of 200 yards which were lost there were restored during the night.

BRITISH COUNTERED
AFTER FIRST ATTACK

Drove Germans Back and Re-established
Their Line South of Houthulst Forest—British Casualties Light.

London, March 9.—Serious fighting has taken place on Ypres-Dixmude sector of the British front, according to the British official statement issued by the British war office last night.

A German attack on a front of over a mile compelled some of the British advance posts to fall back, but later a counter-attack re-established the British line.

The text of the official statement follows: "Shortly before dawn to-day, after heavy artillery preparation, the enemy delivered a strong local attack on a front of over a mile south of Houthulst forest.

"On a greater part of this front his attack broke down under the fire of our troops. At one point, however, on the left of our line, where the attack was pressed with great determination and supported by troops carrying flame throwers, some of the soldiers holding our advance posts were compelled to fall back a short distance on a front of about 500 yards.

"After severe fighting later in the morning a counter-attack was launched by Yorkshire light infantry. It met with considerable success, with the result that the enemy's troops were driven back a distance of 300 yards beyond their former front line, and heavy losses were inflicted upon them.

"Our positions are completely re-established. Our casualties in the evening of the attack and in the subsequent fighting were light.

"Sussex troops carried out a successful raid this morning east of Laventie and with little loss to themselves captured a few prisoners. Hostile artillery showed considerable activity to-day at a number of points, particularly in the neighborhood of Flesquières, in the Givendy, Neuve Chapelle and Armentières sectors and east of Ypres."

PARIS ATTACKED
BY AIR RAIDERS

Early Reports Showed Some Loss of Life
and Property Damage as Result of
Last Night's Visitation.

Paris, March 9.—German aviators raided Paris last night. The early reports show that bombs were dropped, with some loss of life and property damage.

GULF STREAM IN RAMPAGE.
Captains of Military Transports Report
the Alleged Fact.

Paris, March 9.—Reports that the gulf stream has gone on the rampage has again set scientists speculating upon the effect such a change would have upon the climate of western Europe. The news is said to come this time from the captains of transports. The Oceanographic institute has no knowledge of a deviation of the gulf current but is unable to either confirm or deny the report since its researches have been interrupted since the beginning of the war.

SINN FEINER ARRESTED.

D. Lynch Held in Connection with Commandeering of Pigs.

London, March 9.—Diarmid Lynch, the Sinn Fein food controller, was arrested Thursday in connection with the recent commandeering of pigs in Ireland, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Dublin.

REACH AGREEMENT.

Rumania Agrees with Russia to Evacuate Bessarabia.

London, March 9.—The conclusion of peace between Russia and Rumania has been announced in a Russian wireless dispatch received here today. Rumania promises to evacuate all of Bessarabia within two months.

ONE U. S. SENTRY
BOLSHEVIKI RULE
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tack German Patrolling
PartyKILLED THE LEADER,
WOUNDED OTHERSThe Germans Had Stealthily
Entered Advanced Amer-
ican Trench

With the American Army in France, March 9. (By Associated Press).—A lone American sentry Thursday morning attacked an enemy patrol of about 40 men, some of whom had stealthily entered an advanced American trench. He drove them off, killing the leader and wounding others.

The sentry saw the patrol advancing and watched as the Germans began to drop cautiously into the trenches. When the under-officer leading the Germans approached within a few feet of him the sentry opened fire. The German leader fell at the first crack of the rifle and the others hurriedly sought protection but were not quick enough for the sentry's bullets caught some of them. A German some distance outside the wire shouted "Come out," and the Germans showed no second invitation.

A small American patrol saw them trailing back across No Man's Land under fire from the sentry and from the American trenches along the line. The patrol hurled a large number of hand grenades, some of which probably took effect.

The American troops in the sector northwest of Toul have been subjected to an attack with liquid fire. There was no damage. Enemy snipers have been exceptionally busy the last 24 hours at a certain point, with more or less success.

DISCONTINUE DAILY
CASUALTY LISTGovernment Will Simply Notify the
Relatives of the Americans Killed
or Wounded in Europe.

Washington, D. C., March 9.—The issuance of daily lists of casualties among the expeditionary forces abroad was discontinued yesterday by the public information bureau committee as the result of a telegram from the War Department, under which the names of relatives and emergency addresses of the soldiers hereafter will be withheld.

The official explanation is that the purpose of the order is to keep information of value from the enemy. The nearest relative of every soldier killed or wounded is notified as heretofore. The order means that each newspaper must depend on the messages to the relatives to get the news of the men from its community killed or wounded.

Acting Secretary Crowell said the order was issued at the urgent recommendation of General Pershing and that it would be permanent. Both Mr. Crowell and Major General March, acting chief of staff, declaring that the purpose was to close up a channel through which the enemy might obtain valuable information and both disclaimed any intention of seeking to conceal heavy casualty reports from General Pershing.

"You may say for me," said General March, "that the war department has not and will not hold up a single name for an instant longer than it takes to get it out."

The nearest relative of every soldier who may be killed or wounded will be notified by the department as heretofore. Lists containing simply the names of the soldiers under the heading "Killed in action" or "died of disease" will be sent each day to the committee on public information. To give out the lists in this shape according to officials of the committee would bring each day a flood of requests by telephone, telegraph and mail for specific identification of each man named in the list of the previous day.

Unofficially it was said at the war department that General Pershing held that the publication of addresses with the casualty lists tends to disclose the location of units in the trenches, information which the enemy is so desirous of obtaining that many lives are risked in sending raiding parties to bring out a prisoner or two to be examined and questioned.

LEAGUE AT TIE.

When Burlington High Defeated Montpelier High.

Burlington high school defeated Montpelier high school in the interscholastic basketball league game at Burlington last night by the score of 30 to 24 and is, therefore, tied with Spaulding high school for the first place in the league, each team having lost two games. Montpelier gave Burlington a hard contest, playing a strong defensive game.

At Waterbury last night St. Albans high school forfeited the game to Waterbury high school because the order of Referee Eagan for Center, a St. Albans forward, to leave the game, was not obeyed. Center had been in a mix-up with Flynn of the Waterbury team and the latter left the floor when ordered.

CLEVER SMUGGLING DEVICE.

Was Uncovered When Green Wood in Trunk Swelled.

New York, March 9.—With the arrest yesterday of Herman Lammer, a Hollander, custom authorities announced they had uncovered one of the cleverest smuggling devices they had ever seen and had seized as a result 2,000 tubes of a drug which public sale is forbidden, valued at about \$200,000.

The drug was brought over by Lammer in a trunk aboard the steamship Nieuw Amsterdam, Feb. 8. It was concealed in tubes inserted into 2,000 holes bored into the edges of the trunk before it was constructed. Mad the carpenter who made the trunk not used green wood, the scheme might have worked successfully, but steam heat acting on the seasoned wood, caused the joints to swell, disclosing the tubes.

ATTLEBORO SUN
WAS BURNED OUTWhen Fire Destroyed Odd Fellows Block
in Attleboro, Mass., with Loss
of \$100,000.

Attleboro, Mass., March 9.—Fire early today destroyed the Odd Fellows block, a four-story brick building containing the plant of the Attleboro Sun and the Odd Fellows lodge rooms. The loss is \$100,000.

MONTPELIER

Relatives of Major Robert T. Phinney, a native of this city, whose father was many years sergeant-at-arms at the State House, have received a message from him that he has arrived safely in France, where he was recently assigned for three months' training at a staff officers' school. It is not known whether he is to return to this country to train other soldiers or remain in France. Major Phinney has been in charge of the training of the 90th infantry and is exceptionally well qualified for that work, so that he has been detailed to that duty much of the time in recent years. He is a graduate of Norwich and was commissioned major last summer.

F. O. Heller of Helena, Mont., general agent for the National Life Insurance company, is visiting the home office of the company.

W. B. Lance, union school superintendent from Plainfield, was in the city Friday afternoon to confer with the members of the school board from Middlebury, laying out plans for the coming year's work.

Daniel Roach, a member of the vaudeville team of Roach & McCurdy, now playing in Akron, O., is going into partnership with M. J. Doyle of Montpelier to run a vulcanizing and repair shop at 40 Barre street, and they expect to open the shop about April 1, according to information from Akron, where Mr. Roach is putting in his spare time each day learning vulcanizing and tire repairing in the Firestone plant.

The funeral of Mrs. Joseph Ellis, who died at Heaton hospital, Montpelier, Friday afternoon, following a long illness, will take place from her late home on Main street at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Rev. S. E. Blomfield officiating, and the body will be placed in the vault at Green Mount cemetery, where it will remain until spring, when interment will take place in that cemetery. Mrs. Ellis was born Oct. 23, 1847, in Canada, but for 10 years had lived in Montpelier. Among her surviving relatives are her husband and five children—Mrs. O. A. Robinson of Barre, Mrs. Bertha Webster of Burlington, Mrs. Martha Maynard of New York, Miss Addie Ellis and George Maynard; also three sisters, Mrs. Addie Dague of Eden, Mrs. Almira Chad of Worcester and Mrs. Emily Shaw of Massachusetts; also one brother living in Worcester.

The Epworth league of this city enjoyed a ride in the Smith & Kent barge Friday evening to Worcester, where they partook of a supper, after which they returned to the city.

Commissioner of Education M. B. Higgins has gone to Boston, where he is attending a meeting of the New England board on college entrance requirements.

Until the new state building is complete a telephone exchange has been installed in the office of Capt. Leroy Hall in the post office building. It is expected that an operator will commence her duties. The appointment is made by the sergeant-at-arms, with the approval of the board of control, and it is expected that the operator will give some of her time to clerical work, which will help in filling up the day.

Mrs. L. C. Moody has returned from a visit with her father in Richmond, also with relatives in Stowe.

C. M. Willey in probate court this morning was appointed administrator of the estate of John Brown, late of Barre City, and Herbert Kelton of East Montpelier on Friday was appointed guardian of Louisa A. Hurlburt of Plainfield.

Alton Weeks of Calais, whose post-office address is Plainfield, left today for Fort Snelling, N. Y., having self-inducted through the exemption board into the coast artillery.

The services of Bethany church will be held in the main auditorium Sunday, with special music at the evening service by the quartet, which will include Sir John Stainer's "God So Loved the World" and Faure's "Crucifix." Morning worship occurs at 10:30, with a sermon by the pastor. All services in the Bethany school occur at noon. Young people's meeting occurs at 6:30 o'clock.

Officer Frank Baldwin on Friday received a message that Senator P. C. Baldwin, his brother, who lives in Chicago, is critically ill with scarlet fever. He is 37 years of age and has been quite prominent in politics in that city, having represented a district of the city in the state senate. Mr. Baldwin was visiting in Brattleboro until recently and it is believed that the disease was carried from that town.

A seven-pound daughter was born today to Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Lawrence of this city. Mrs. Lawrence formerly lived in Barre.

TALK OF THE TOWN

The Monday evening readings which found favor among members of the faculty as well as persons outside the school last year, are to be resumed at Spaulding high school next week. On Monday evening Miss Beveridge of the high school faculty will read from the works of Rudyard Kipling in the assembly hall. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend the readings.

Atty. William Wishart delivered a spirited four-minute talk at the Park theatre last evening in connection with the display of a revealing film picture, "Germany and Her Vassals." The speaker called attention to the atrocities committed by the Huns in other lands, and said that, given the same opportunity, they will repeat here in America. He closed with an earnest appeal for faith in the future and assistance in whatever fresh movement is inaugurated for relief work among the suffering and for the vigorous prosecution of the war.

Social Revolutionaries Are
Forming New Govern-
mentTROTSKY RESIGNS
THE FOREIGN POSTGreat Army Is Said to Be
In Organization In Don
District

London, March 9.—The social revolutionaries have decided to organize a national guard to overthrow the Bolshevik regime in Russia, according to Doctor Eleff of Moscow university, who is quoted in an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen as saying the decision was reached at a recent conference in Moscow.

A great army is being organized in the Don district supported by the Cossacks, the dispatch adds, and it is planned to introduce a republic in Russia with a coalition government, which will not accept the German-Bolshevik peace. Eleff asserted that the news of the new movement has been suppressed by the Petrograd Bolshevik news agency.

Two Russian transports were attacked and sunk by German destroyers after a fight south of the Aland islands, according to another Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

Petrograd, March 9.—Leon Trotsky, in an address to a meeting of the Maximilian party yesterday, announced that he had resigned as commissary for foreign affairs.

GLAD TO SEE AMERICANS.
Canadian Soldiers Appreciate What Help
They Will Give.

Lieut. Robert C. Moores, who went to France with the Canadian contingent in August, 1914, had written the following very interesting letter to Mrs. A. L. Pierce of Camp street, a girlfriend of his mother, Lieut. Moores, whose home is in Woodstock, N. B., has been through many battles, but has not been wounded thus far. He has two brothers in the Canadian army in France.

B. F. P. 2-2-18.
Dear Mrs. Pierce: Your letter of Jan. 23 at hand for some time. I was waiting until the parcel should arrive before I answered it, and the parcel arrived today, so I am writing to-night. I cannot expect to be able to express my gratitude for the parcel. I can only say that the contents pleased me beyond my expectations. That little comfort bag is just about the handiest thing I ever saw. I have just been showing it to all the other officers in the mess and they are all raving over it. It contains nearly everything that a soldier needs and nearly anything that he does not need.

The chocolates also come in very handy, as one can never find good chocolates here in France. I hope you will thank Mr. Pierce for me for the confectionery. The steel mirror will come in handy. I had one when I came to France, but it soon became scratched and dimmed and I had to throw it away. The new one has just come in time.

I suppose you folks are all very much upset about one of your transports being sunk. Fortunately the loss of life was not heavy. You can't imagine how encouraging it is to us who are over here now to think of all these Americans, numbering by millions, who are coming over to help us. It makes the outlook much brighter.

There is a man in my platoon who is an American. He is such a particularly bright chap that I asked him the other day why he did not try to get a job as an officer in the American army. He told me that he does not know anyone of importance among the Americans. He would be a very valuable man, however, as he has had long experience out here and is one of the most efficient gunners I have in the platoon. I must try to keep my eyes and ears open and find a real good job for him if I can, as he has been here so long now.

Must close now, as dinner is coming on. Hoping that this will find you all well and thanking you again for your kindness, I remain, most sincerely yours, Robert C. Moores.

AN INSPIRING MEETING.

And a Strong Sermon By Evangelist Smith.

Another very helpful and inspiring meeting was held last night in connection with the evangelistic campaign, which is being carried on in the Congregational church. Evangelist Smith preached a strong sermon, taking for his theme, "Conservation." It was an earnest appeal to Christians present for a life of devotion and service to their Lord. Mr. Hatch, the singer, was in fine voice and sang several solos with good effect.

Attention is being centered upon the union mass meeting Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The theme of the evening will be "Lessons from the Three Crosses." Everyone should avail themselves of the opportunity of attending these services. All who can sing are urged to be on hand early and take their places in the choir.

HELD PRIZE SPEAKING.

St. Johnsbury Academy Juniors and Seniors in Competition.

St. Johnsbury, March 9.—The juniors and seniors of St. Johnsbury academy held their first prize speaking contest last evening for the prizes of \$15 and \$10 offered by Edwin A. Bayley of Boston, a trustee of the institution and a graduate in the class of 1881. There were eight contestants and the first prize was awarded to Miss Sigrid H. Eklof and the second to Reginald W. Cowlin, both of St. Johnsbury. In presenting the prizes Mr. Bayley congratulated the institution on its 75 years of successful growth and said he believed it would always be the leading academy of northern New England.

SENIOR GIRLS IN MINSTRELSY.

Gave Performance to Large Audience at
Spaulding High School.

Minstrelsy figured in a concert and dance given last evening at the Spaulding assembly hall by the girls of the senior class of Spaulding high school, the proceeds of which are to be donated to the Y. M. C. A. war fund. The show was given before an audience of a large number of students and friends of the high school at 8 o'clock when the dance, the music of which was furnished by Reardon's orchestra, was held immediately after the Spaulding-Peoples academy basketball game.

The chorus was made up of sixteen girls of the class, while Miss Freda Ladd in the middle of the circle acted as interlocutor to the hits and slams directed towards various members of the class. The audience was quick to respond to the various numbers of the program and from the beginning to the end all the singers were liberally applauded.

The program was as follows: Opening, "Mammy's Little Coal Black Rose," chorus; "Carry Me Back to Ole Virginia," Katherine Fitzgerald; "Kingdom Come," Katherine Rogers; "Humming Bird and the Bee," Margaret Woodruff; "Send Me Away with a Smile," chorus; "Miss Minabelle," Alice Murray; dance, Margaret Murray and Eda Perry; "Missouri Waltz," chorus; "Can't You Hear Me Calling, Caroline?," Vivian Marston; "Somewhere in France," chorus; "For You a Rose," Marion Tilden; finale.

The girls of the senior class who made up the chorus were the Misses Vivian Marston, Marion Tilden, Katherine Rogers, Doris Eastman, Kathleen Fitzgerald, Mildred McGue, Frances Nelson, Marcia Langley, Alice Murray, Evelyn Mathewson, Margaret Woodruff, Eda Perry, Margaret Murray, Mary Shorey, Jessie Pitthe and Freda Ladd. Miss Marion Anker acted as accompanist. Much credit for the success of the event is due Miss Wallace, the supervisor of music in the city schools, who was capably assisted in arranging the program by Miss Eva Smith of the high school faculty.

SUICIDE THREAT
WAS CARRIED OUTMichael Hogan Was Found Hanging in
His Home in the Limekiln District
of Newbury Last Night.

South Ryegate, March 9.—Michael Hogan's body was found hanging in his home in the Limekiln district of Newbury last night by Max Hatch and Frank Grapes, who had gone there to see how the man was getting along, as he had several times threatened to make way with himself. Mr. Hatch was with him until 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and everything was all right then. A few hours later, when Mr. Grapes arrived, they found that the man had carried out his threat despite the precautions taken to remove ropes and firearms.

The body was cut down and an effort was made to locate a physician, there being hope that life might not be extinct. It was impossible to get a physician at once. Anyway, it is probable that life was extinct before the arrival of the neighbors.

Hogan was 55 years of age and had lived in the vicinity for three or four years, being employed as a laborer. He was a native of Ireland, was married, living and that he said he was in Barre. Not much is known about the deceased.

QUOTA NOT FILLED.

So Vermont Will Have to Furnish Balance of Carpenters By Draft.

The several counties, as a whole, did not respond with the required number of self-inducted men to respond to the call for carpenters for aviation service at Key Field, Tex. The only one of the number having been obtained so far, that now it will be necessary for the adjutant general to call enough in some counties to make up the quota. Washington county is the only large county in which the required number was obtained. Those who have self-inducted get state pay, while those who are called will not secure it.

The summary by counties follows:

Addison	Quota	Secured
Bennington	3	3
Caledonia	3	0
Chittenden	6	3
Essex	1	1
Franklin	5	0
Lamoille	2	2
Lamotte	2	0
Orleans	3	1
Rutland No. 1	5	3
Rutland No. 2	2	2
Washington	5	5
Windham	3	0
Windsor	3	3
Total	51	26

There is a question about Franklin county and it is possible that three, over which there is a question, may be accepted as self-inducted.

Washington county completed its quota Friday, when St. E. May of Waterbury Center appeared for self-induction. He is a class 2 man but, like Mr. Duckett, wanted to get into the service, so the quota was filled.

ONE POUND SUGAR EACH PERSON.

Will Be Allowance on Sugar Cards in Barre for Next Week.

Unexpected arrivals of sugar in Barre this morning will make the supply on hand large enough to allow the grocers to sell one pound to a person next week. The price will remain the same.

Armenian and Syrian Relief Drive Postponed.

Owing to unavoidable delay in securing printed supplies necessary for the drive and because of other local conditions the Armenian and Syrian relief drive has been postponed for two weeks. The canvass of Washington county is to take place during the week of March 24 to 31 inclusive.

The chairman of the local committees are requested to accept this notice as their authority for postponing the actual canvass; the intervening time being used for completing their organizations and plans for the work.

The change in date for the canvass for Washington county will not in any way change the plans of the state committee for tomorrow as far as the pupils in the county are concerned, excepting in reference to the time the canvass will take place. N. B. Ballard, county chairman.

HEAVY GUNS
DEMANDEDU. S. Army Ordnance Bureau
Asks For An Appropriation\$400,000,000 NEED
FOR MANUFACTUREUrgent Deficiency Appropriation
Asked of Congress

Washington, D. C., March 9.—The army ordnance bureau today asked Congress for an urgent deficiency appropriation of \$400,000,000 for the manufacture of ordnance, principally heavy guns.

COUNTING UP THE GAINS.

Goose Green Carnival Proceeds Will Run
Into Thousands.

Goose Green's winter carnival for the benefit of the Barre Red Cross ended in Howland hall last evening with a dance and an auction sale. There was a large attendance, although the crowd that participated in the merrymaking on the two preceding nights dwindled perceptibly. All sideshows were removed and except for a brief space devoted to disposing of remnants, the time was given over entirely to dancing. Carroll's orchestra played the name and another more than 300 people took part. C. F. Smith, who gave his services without recompense throughout the carnival, sold the remainder of the donations, which brought famine prices—most of them.

To-day the Goose Green stock-in-trade resembled that of the timepiece retailer whose clocks suddenly learned that his clocks were papered on the rear case with mining stock. Here and there in the donation repository in the old town house were articles awaiting the appearance of a claimant, but for the most part the long list of gifts had been distributed. Tons of vegetables had been dispatched, and nothing but ragged pin feathers remained of all the poultry generously given to the Red Cross.

The Goose Green performers have turned accounts and during the next few days all energies will be bent toward ascertaining just how much revenue proceeded from the carnival. The committee believes that within a few weeks before a final accounting can be made. The expense of staging the show was comparatively small, but there are a good many outside sources from which money is due and will be received in a few days. No one about the Green was ready to offer any prediction as to the amount which is to be turned over to the Red Cross, but it was generally conceded that the offering poured out by the people of Barre and nearby towns in the shape of money, donations, etc., will run into the thousands.

Here are some of the gifts not previously acknowledged through The Times: White Wyandotte chickens, Charles Kimball; \$3 cash, Alderman M. Rossi; strained honey, B. B. Sanborn; bushel potatoes, Joseph Goss; gas water heater, V. E. Ayers; picture, Mrs. Harriet Whitcomb.

GITCHELL MADE 'EM SMILE

When He Told About His Various Financial Transactions.

The first meeting of the creditors in the bankrupt estate of Eben C. Gitcheell took place today. Mr. Gitcheell testified to many statements which involved his business affairs in the last few months and when noon was reached the attorneys, who included E. L. Scott, E. H. Deavitt and A. C. Theriault, did not appear satisfied with the information they had obtained.

Mr. Gitcheell, among other statements, testified that he made a settlement last October with a Barre bank in which he gave the bank the insurance which he had, that is to say, he relinquished what equity he had in them. When asked if he did not expect the bank was to be a winner he replied that he did if he died soon, otherwise he expected he would get the long end of the deal. He testified that at the time he made that settlement he expected to go into bankruptcy some time. He said no papers were passed between him and the bank, showing a settlement. He had kept no accounts, he said, since his daughter gave up the work some two years ago or over. Questioning brought out the fact that he had been in the Jewett inn, Montpelier, which he bought a few months ago and that all he had advanced towards the purchase price was the room rent paid by Mrs. Mary Wheelock and board at such times as she boarded with the family. Among other statements he said he had not been actively in business for the last three years.

His answers at times brought smiles to the faces of the attorneys. Mr. Scott tried for some time to get him to answer "yes" or "no" to a question relative to his transactions with the bank. When asked to turn over to the trustee, at such time as he is elected, all books and receipts etc., Mr. Gitcheell said he would turn over those which would be of interest to the trustee but the court, upon request of Mr. Scott, instructed the bankrupt to give to the trustee all documents which the trustee had the right to conduct an investigation of his business.

NEW VERMONT CORPORATION.

Cold Spring Ice Company, Inc., of White River Junction.

The Cold Spring Ice company, Inc., of White River Junction has filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state for the purpose of conducting an ice business in Hartford. The capital stock is \$6,000 and the subscribers are H. H. Leeds, M. G. Harvey, W. M. Smith and H. A. Armstrong.

SOLDIERS DIDN'T LEAVE.

Because of the Three Cases of Smallpox in Barre.

The soldiers who were to leave Montpelier to-day for Camp Greene were held up because of the three cases of smallpox in Barre.